

Amendments to the Claims

1. (ORIGINAL) A polarizing arrangement selectively transmissive for linear polarized light comprising a first linear polarizer having a first extinction axis and a second linear polarizer having a second extinction axis, wherein, in operation, a light beam traversing the first polarizer in a direction orthogonal to the first extinction axis traverses the second polarizer in a direction coincident with the second extinction axis.
2. (ORIGINAL) A polarizing arrangement as claimed in claim 1 wherein the first extinction axis is parallel to a light entry and/or light exit surface of the polarizing arrangement.
3. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A polarizing arrangement as claimed in ~~claim 1 or 2~~claim 1 wherein the first polarizer is a dichroic polarizer in which a dichroic colorant is planar uniaxially oriented in the direction of the first extinction axis.
4. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A polarizing arrangement as claimed in ~~claim 1, 2 or 3~~claim 1 wherein the second polarizer is a dichroic polarizer in which a dichroic colorant is homeotropically ordered in a direction coincident with the second extinction axis.
5. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A polarizing arrangement as claimed in ~~claim 3 or 4~~claim 3 wherein the first polarizer comprises a stretched polymeric material in which an ordered dichroic colorant is dispersed.
6. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A polarizing arrangement as claimed in ~~claim 1, 2, 3 or 4~~claim 1 wherein the first and/or second polarizer comprises an ordered polymerized liquid crystal in which a dichroic colorant is dispersed.

7. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A polarizing arrangement as claimed in ~~claim 3, 4, 5 or 6~~claim 3 wherein the dichroic colorant of the first and the second polarizer are one and the same.
8. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A polarizing arrangement as claimed in ~~any one of the preceding claims~~claim 1 wherein the first and second polarizer are individual parts of a composite body.
9. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A polarizing arrangement as claimed in ~~any one of the preceding claims~~claim 1 wherein the first and second polarizer are integrally formed as a single part of a polarizing body.
10. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A display comprising a polarizing arrangement as claimed in ~~any one of the claims 1 to 9~~claim 1.
11. (CURRENTLY AMENDED) A combination of a first and a second linear polarizer for use in a polarizing arrangement as claimed in ~~any one of the claims 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 or 9~~claim 4.
12. (ORIGINAL) Use of an optically anisotropic body comprising a dichroic colorant which is homeotropically ordered with respect to a major surface of the body as a polarizer.
13. (ORIGINAL) An anti-reflective arrangement comprising a combination as claimed in claim 11 and an optical retarder for converting linearly polarized light into circularly polarized light.
14. (ORIGINAL) An anti-reflective arrangement as claimed in claim 13 wherein the second polarizer is arranged between the first polarizer and the optical retarder.